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AMENDMENT

This is in response to the Official Action, dated July 19, 2004, for which a response is due Thursday, October 19, 2006. The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendment and consider the following remarks in the belief that they place the application in condition for allowance, or at least in better condition for appeal.

Any additional fees associated with this amendment may be charged to Deposit Acct. No. 13-2755.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 27 of this paper.